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Report Highlights:

Recent measures intended to dampen domestic food price increases by inhibiting grain exports were adjusted by Decree #33 signed on January 23, 2021. Decree #33 increased the within-quota export duty on wheat from March 1 to June 30 from 25 to 50 euros/ton. The decree also increased the within-quota export duties on corn and barley from zero to (25 euros/ton and 10 euros/ton, respectively, from March 15 until June 30 2021.

In December 2020, Prime Minister Mikhail Mishustin signed a number of decrees intended to stabilize prices in the food market. The following decrees apply to Russian grain exports outside of the Customs Union (i.e., Armenia, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Russia).:

- [Decree # 2097](#) established a tariff-rate quota (TRQ) for export of 17.5 million metric tons (MMT) of grain, including wheat and meslin (EAEU HS Codes 1001 19 000 0 and 1001 99 000 0 respectively), rye (EAEU HS Code 1002 90 000 0), barley (EAEU HS Code 1003 90 000 0) and corn (EAEU HS Code 1005 90 000 0) for the period starting February 15 to June 30, 2021.
- [Decree # 2096](#) set an in-quota export tariff rate of zero for exports of rye, barley and corn within the 17.5 MMT TRQ above, while the in-quota export tariff on wheat will be 25 Euros per ton. The out-of-quota export tariff rate is set at 50 percent but not less than 100 Euros per ton and will apply from February 15 to June 30, 2021.

Translated texts of the Decrees mentioned above can be found at [RS2020-0066 Russia to Restrict Exports of Some Grains and Oilseeds Through Mid-2021](#).

In January 2021, the Prime Minister signed [Decree # 33](#) which adjusted the export duties on wheat, corn and barley. From February 15 to February 28 all wheat exported within the 17.5 MMT tariff-rate quota will be subject to a duty of 25 euros/ton, from March 1 to June 30 the duty will increase to 50 euros/ton. Also, from March 15 until the end of the 2020/21 season, export duties will apply to corn (25 euros/ton) and barley (10 euros/ton). The full text of the Decree in English can be found below.

BEGIN UNOFFICIAL TRANSLATION:

GOVERNMENT OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION

DECREE

No. 33 of «23» January, 2021

MOSCOW

On Amending the Rates of Export Customs Tariffs on Goods Exported from the Russian Federation beyond the States that are Parties to Agreements on the Customs Union

The Government of the Russian Federation decrees:

1. To amend the rates of exports customs tariffs on goods exported from the Russian Federation beyond the states that are parties to agreements on the Customs Union, approved by decree of the Government of the Russian Federation No. 754 of August 30, 2013 “On the Approval of Rates of Export Customs Tariffs on Goods Exported from the Russian Federation beyond the States that are Parties to Agreements on the Customs Union and on Repealing of Some Acts of the Government of the Russian Federation” (Collection of laws of the Russian Federation, 2013, No. 36, art. 4582; No. 47, art. 6109; No. 52, art. 7188; 2014, No. 30, art. 4324; No. 31, art. 4421; 2015, No. 21, art. 3106; No. 23, art. 3317; No. 32, art. 4774; No. 40, art. 5567; 2016, No. 35, art. 5322; No. 40, art. 5747; 2017, No. 35, art. 5355; No. 49, art. 7471; No. 52, art. 8124; 2018, No. 13, art. 1823; No. 23, art. 3303; No. 27, art. 4088; 2019, No. 13, art. 1404; No. 27, art.3586; No. 37, art. 5179; 2020, № 50, art. 8250; Official Internet Portal of Legal information (www.pravo.gov.ru), 2020, December 15, No. 0001202012150052; December 31, No. 0001202012310035; 2021, January 4, No. 0001202101040009).
2. The present decree shall enter into force in 30 days from the date of its official publishing.

Head of the Government of the Russian Federation

M. Mishustin

APPROVED BY
Decree of the Government of the
Russian Federation
dated January 23, 2021 No. 33

AMENDMENTS

of the rates of export customs duties
for goods exported from the Russian Federation outside
states - parties to agreements on the Customs Union

1. Position classified by the EAEU HS code 1001 19 000 0 to be replaced by positions of the following content:

“from 1001 19 000 0 other, for which a tariff quota 25 euros
tariff quota is established, if per 1000 kg *****
a license issued by a competent body is available

from 1001 19 000 0 other, for which a tariff quota 50 euros
tariff quota, if a license per 1000 kg *****
issued by a competent body is available

2. Position classified by the EAEU HS code 1001 99 000 0 to be replaced by positions of the following content:

“from 1001 99 000 0 others, for which tariff quotas 25 euros
are established, if per 1000 kg *****
a license issued by a competent body is available

from 1001 99 000 0 others, for which tariff quotas 50 euros
are established, if per 1000 kg *****
a license issued by a competent body is available

3. Position classified by the EAEU HS code 1003 90 000 0 to be replaced by positions of the following content:

“from 1003 90 000 0 other, for which tariff quota 0 euros *****
is established, if
a license issued by a competent body is available

from 1003 90 000 0 other, for which tariff quota 10 euro
is established, if per 1000 kg *****
a license issued by a competent body is available

4. Position classified by the EAEU HS code 1005 90 000 0 to be replaced by positions of the following content:

“from 1005 90 000 0 other, for which tariff quota 0 euros *****
is established, if
a license issued by a competent body is available

from 1005 90 000 0 other, for which tariff quota 25 euro
is established, if per 1000 kg *****
a license issued by a competent body is available.

5. To supplement with 7-10 foot-notes of the following content:

“***** For this position, the rate of export customs duty applies from the date of entry into force of the governmental decree of the Russian Federation of January 23, 2021 No. 33 "On amending the rates of export customs duties on goods exported from the Russian Federation outside the states - parties to the agreements on the Customs Union "through February 28, 2021 inclusive". ***** For this position, the rate of export customs duty applies from March 1 to June 30, 2021 inclusive”.

“***** For this position, the rate of export customs duty applies from the date of entry into force of the governmental decree of the Russian Federation of January 23, 2021 No. 33 "On amending the rates of export customs duties on goods exported from the Russian Federation outside the states - parties to the agreements on the Customs Union "through March 14, 2021 inclusive”.

“***** For this position, the rate of export customs duty applies from March 15 to June 30, 2021 inclusive”.

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Attachments:

No Attachments.